## Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number 20995

## NOTICE OF APPEAL

## FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant

Iliff, Edwin C.

App. No

09/785,044

Filed

February 14, 2001

For

AUTOMATED DIAGNOSTIC

SYSTEM AND METHOD INCLUDING REUSE OF DIAGNOSTIC OBJECTS

Examiner

Joon H. Hwang

Art Unit

2166

CERTIFICATE OF EFS WEB TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence, and any other attachment noted on the automated Acknowledgement Receipt, is being transmitted from within the Pacific Time zone to the Commissioner for Patents via the EFS Web

> Delgenaber 10, 2007 (Date)

John M. Carson, Reg. No. 34,303

## Mail Stop AF

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated August 13, 2007 finally rejecting Claims 1-52. Applicant submitted a reply to final Office Action dated December 6 and those amendments place the claims in better condition for appeal.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Notice of Appeal	41.20(b)(1)	1401 (\$510)		\$510
1 Month Extension	1.17(a)(1)	1251 (\$120)		\$120
			Fees Previously Paid	\$120
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$510

- (X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.
- The amount of \$510 will be paid via EFS Web. (X)

December 10, 2007 HEWAYS.015A6 Docket No.: Page 2 of 2

App. No.: 09/785,044

Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number 20995

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Dated: December 10, 2007

John M. Carson Registration No. 34,303 Attorney of Record Customer No. 20,995 (619) 235-8550

4633663/vcl 121007